

TEXAS SUFFERS FROM A CYCLONE

Number of Houses Destroyed in North and Southwest Texas.

Dr. Mourning Found Dead at Louisville—Italians Arrested for Conspiracy Against Loubet.

THE POST OFFICE INQUIRY

Ft. Worth, Tex., April 16—A cyclone wind did much damage in southwest and north Texas towns last night.

At Weatherford several houses were blown down.

The opera house at Eastland was partially wrecked while at Hillsboro and Strawn, several business houses were destroyed.

PHYSICIAN FOUND DEAD.

Louisville, Ky., April 16—Dr. Norton Mourning, a young physician prominent in society, was found dead in bed this morning. The coroner pronounced his death due to anemia.

WANTED TO KILL LOUBET.

Marseilles, France, April 16—Three Italians have been taken into custody here in connection with a supposed plot to kill President Loubet during his coming visit to Italy.

NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION.

Washington, D.C., April 16—"There will be no further congressional investigation of the postoffice department," was the emphatic statement made today by Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, member of the committee on postoffice and post roads.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

New Castle, Ind., April 16—Anna Huddy, aged nine, was burned to death last night in a fire which destroyed the home of John Murphy.

LOCAL MEN

Lease the New Hotel at Dawson Springs, Ky.

Messrs. Chas. Reed and I. D. Wilcox Closed the Deal Today.

Hon. Charles Reed, proprietor of the Palmer house, and Mr. I. D. Wilcox today closed a lease for the New Century hotel at Dawson Springs, Ky., and expect to be ready to open it May 1.

Dr. Hayden, of Salem, Livingston county, one of the owners, came down yesterday and the deal was closed today. The terms of the lease are private, but under it the Paducah gentlemen have the privilege of surrendering it at the end of a year, or renewing it for five years.

It is their intention to make the hotel into a modern hostelry and run it summer and winter. A new elevator will be installed, steam heat be placed in, and the place will be made practically new as quickly as money can make it so. Further details of the management, etc., have not been made, but if the venture should prove satisfactory, the Paducah men will keep the hotel for five years, and it will no doubt be popular, especially in the summer time. The deal had been on for some days. The hotel was started last year but did not prove a paying investment. It was recently sold and bought in by creditors.

Messrs. Reed and Wilcox are both good hotel men. Mr. Reed has been in the business for years and Mr. Wilcox was his former partner. The latter will go up at once and will probably manage the hotel permanently.

BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lindsey of North Ninth street, a girl. Mr. Lindsey is general manager of the Sutherland Medicine company.

The Chattanooga is due in from Tennessee river tomorrow.

PAINFUL MISHAPS BEFALL MANY HERE

Mr. Phil Puder Receives Painful Injuries.

A Timberman Hurt in Carlisle—Minor Accidents Here.

LADY HURT IN RUNAWAY.

Mr. Phil Puder, of Evansville, Ind., traveling representative of the Cook Brewing company, was on the steps of the company's cold storage plant at 11th and Jefferson streets yesterday afternoon when the steps gave way on account of the weight of Mr. Puder, who tips the beam at about 275 pounds. While he fell with considerable force, he escaped with a few bruises, as he went only a few feet.

Mr. Charles Pieper, an aged man of South Fourth street, was struck by a bicyclist this afternoon about 1:30 in front of the Alvey drug store. Fourth and Broadway and knocked down. His head struck the hard brick street and an ugly scalp wound was inflicted. An artery was cut and the wound bled profusely. Dr. Jeff Robertson and Dr. Adrian Hoyer dressed the injury.

Two young men while driving out Jefferson street between Fifth and Sixth shortly after noon today on their way to Florence Station were thrown out by their horse running away and for a time it seemed that one of them was badly hurt, but he was afterwards able to leave for home. His name was Davis, and Dr. Hase attended him. The other was not much hurt.

Mr. James Lampey, a timber man, had his right leg broken and sustained many painful bruises near Bardwell yesterday by a three falling on him. He was brought to the city last evening and taken to the home of Mr. Terrell Pears, in Rowlandtown, and Dr. J. W. Pendley attended him.

Mrs. J. R. McClain, of West Broadway, who had two ribs broken several days ago by her horse jerking the buggy in such a manner that she was thrown against the handle of her umbrella in the buggy, is improving rapidly.

Willie Rouse, driver of a grocery wagon for Rouse and Sanderson was painfully hurt by his wagon striking on a culvert this afternoon at Fourth and Jefferson near the store, and turning him over. His injuries are not serious.

Charles Clements, while cutting wood on the Cairo road this morning, severed the small toe from the right foot. Dr. J. D. Robertson and Dr. Adrian Hoyer dressed the wound.

NOT WORRIED

MAYOR HAS GIVEN APPOINTMENT OF ALDERMAN LITTLE THOUGHT.

When asked who would be Alderman Lucian Durrett's successor in the aldermanic board when he resigns to accept the assistant superintendency of the city electric light plant, Mayor Yeiser stated this morning that he had not considered the matter as the resignation was not in. It is generally accepted that the appointment will go to either Dr. J. G. Brooks or Mr. Will Hummel, who were both for years energetic councilmen.

BEGINS MONDAY

County Road Supervisor E. B. Johnston returned today from the county, having gone over the road from Ragland to Melber. He found it in excellent shape considering the winter. Supervisor Johnson will Monday start out a few men to repair portions of the roads that need it worst, and it will be the first work done on the roads this year.

HEAVY LOSS TO JAPS IN LANDING TROOPS

12,000 of Them Forced to Retreat Under Russian Fire.

Reports of Sebastopol Being Sunk Denied—Jap Ships Reported Damaged.

NEW RUSSIAN ADMIRAL NOW IN CHARGE

London, April 16—A St. Petersburg correspondent says that Vice Admiral Togo's fleet escorted a Japanese landing of troops to the westward of the Yalu river. When 12,000 men had been landed the Russian troops, which were lying concealed, suddenly attacked them, driving them back to the ships with heavy losses in men and guns.

TOGOS' PROBABLE PLANS.

London, April 16—The report that Admiral Togo and the Japanese fleet will attempt to capture Port Arthur by direct assault is not believed by war experts here. They think in all probability, the next move of Admiral Togo will be to land an army division in the rear of Port Arthur and march upon it.

TEN NEW TORPEDO BOATS.

St. Petersburg, April 16—The ship-building yards on the Baltic and Neva have been ordered to finish within three months ten submarine boats which will be shipped overland to Port Arthur immediately upon their completion. The officials hope by this means to fight the Japanese with their own methods.

IS HARBOR "BOTTLED"?

Paris, April 16—The Herald's European edition says: From the news, very painful for Russia and her friends, which came two days ago, it is impossible to avoid the conclusion that in reality the object pursued by the Japanese of "bottling" up Port Arthur is attained.

MORE TROOPS MASSING.

Tokio, April 16—A report has reached here that twenty thousand Russian troops are massing on the right bank of the Yalu river, and the Japanese force on the left bank.

WEEKS NEWS IN BUSINESS WORLD

Clearings this week \$672,389 Same week last year 685,987 Decrease 7,699

Business at the banks showed just a little decrease from the same time last year.

With the wholesale trade business is showing improvement. It has been a little dull, chargeable to the weather, mostly. Collections are slow.

Retail business is suffering some, also, on account of the weather but conditions look good for a good season.

In building lines there is a good deal of light work going on and real estate is active.

The Paducah Commission Co. has just installed the best and quickest stock, grain and cotton service ever put in by local brokers and today are offering their trade the same service the city investors get. The quotations are sent over direct wires, and trades made on the quotations just as they come in. This is a service that will no doubt be appreciated and the Paducah Commission Co. is to be complimented on installing it.

The New York bank statement this week shows the following changes: Reserve increase \$ 6,388,200 Less U. S. increase 4,405,773 Loans increase 4,721,100 Specie increase, 5,644,600 Legals increase, 1,646,000 Deposits increase, 11,605,600 Circulation decrease, 308,600

The Paducah Furniture company are looking for a location for a Cairo branch says the Cairo Citizen. They have as yet been unable to secure one, as they want a large building and there is not a suitable place vacant in town. Their representatives was here recently looking over the ground, and will return again in a few days. It is possible that they may have a building erected especially for their use. The Paducah Furniture company do a large business and see a chance by locating in Cairo to enter a new and very desirable territory.

Mr. C. E. Gridley has returned from a trip through Georgia in the interest of the posthole augur factory here, and says he sold 52 out of 54 towns visited. Business is good, and the factory which is located here, is selling its entire output as fast as it can make it.

There has been practically nothing doing here in tobacco circles this week, there having been no public and few private sales. There is still a prospect, however, of the market getting lively shortly.

Messrs. E. W. Smith, C. E. Jennings and Andy Bauer, directors of La Center, are negotiating with Tennessee persons for a flour mill for their town with a capacity of 75 barrels a day.

A tailoring and pressing establishment is to be opened over Mr. McPherson's store by the Foreign Woolen Mills, Owensboro, Ky. Mr. W. D. Howard will be in charge.

THE WOMAN ONLY WANTED SCALPS

Went to the School House Looking for Trouble.

Said Boys Had Slapped Her Child—A Man Who Was Not Escaped From Hospital.

OTHER POLICE COURT NEWS.

Johnnie Miller, colored, stated in police court this morning when accused of "starting rough house" at the Lincoln colored school building, that she "simply gotten riled" and had gone to the building to scalp a few teachers and incidentally to make an example of several pupils who had been imposing on her child.

Judge Sanders thought she had gone a little too far in attempting to run the schools and imposed a fine of \$20 and costs. He stated that this fine was very lenient on his part as really the woman had committed rather a serious offense, and inasmuch as she pleaded guilty, he would fix her fine at the smallest amount he felt he could fine her under the circumstances.

The Miller woman had gone to the Lincoln school to thrash several boys who had slapped her daughter, it seems, and when Principal Benton and G. F. Porter, a teacher, asked her to leave, refused and stated she would soon clean out the building. She was finally ejected and her arrest followed.

The case against the I. O. road for obstructing Campbell street crossing for more than five minutes with cars, was continued until Monday.

But Elrod was fined \$5 and costs for a breach of the peace.

The vagrancy charge against George Williams, white, was continued.

The case against George Wright for throwing an iron to another negro and striking a lamp, causing it to explode and set fire to a house, was left open.

The case against Gus Williams, colored, who was charged with stealing a bag of oats from Barry and Henneberger and while trying to escape was shot by Officer William Rogers, was left open until Monday.

Millie Brown, colored, who cut Will Bunyan, colored, was arraigned for malicious cutting and the case again continued. It seems that Bunyan does not want to prosecute her, having walked out of the city hospital where he had been confined, leaving no clue to his whereabouts.

The case against William Bradshaw, colored, for cutting Will Cawhorn, was continued until Monday.

UNUSUAL CASE

PADUCAH MAN INDICTED OVER A STEER AT WICKLIFFE.

Hon. E. W. Bagby goes to Wickliffe Monday to attend court and defend a Paducah man under indictment there for grand larceny. The case is said to have been the result of malice pure and simple, and as it would be unpleasant to the Paducah man, his name is not given out by the attorney.

The facts are, however, that he sold a steer to a local dealer and a man from Ballard county came here and claimed it. He and his witnesses could not identify it, however, and although they were told that if they would go before a notary public and make oath that it belonged to the man who claimed it they could have it they declined to do it. A writ of delivery was then taken out, and because the claimants could not establish their ownership the case was thrown out of court. The man then returned to Ballard county, it is claimed, and had the Paducah man indicted for grand larceny. The attorney does not anticipate any trouble in securing a prompt acquittal.

The Penguin will go into Tennessee river today. This morning she finished work at Joppa.

JURY DISCHARGED IN MOUNT CASE

Could Not Agree—11 For Conviction of Prisoner.

St. Marcus, Former Motorman Hung the Jury—Several Convictions Today.

NEWS OF OTHER LOCAL COURTS

The jury in the case against Willis Mount, for the murder of Willis Nutty, a jockey, in a gambling room last October, was discharged by Judge Reed today at noon, being unable to agree after thirty-six hours deliberation. It was reported yesterday by one of the jury that no agreement seemed possible, but the jury was sent back and kept together until this morning shortly before court adjourned at noon.

The jury stood eleven for conviction and one for acquittal. It is understood that St. Marcus, an employee of the railroad shop, and formerly a motorman for the street railway company here, is the one who was in favor of acquittal.

How the jury stood in regard to punishment could not be learned. It is probable that Mount's attorneys will shortly make a motion for bail, as there is no term of circuit court again until September. An effort was talked of to get bail after the December term of court, but was finally abandoned.

George Barnett, colored, who shot at Officer Cross at Eighth and Jackson streets several weeks ago, was this morning given one year in the penitentiary for malicious shooting.

Barnett is an Illinois Central brakeman who was going towards the shop yards to go out on his run when some one nearby shot a pistol. Officer Cross was passing by and thinking it was Barnett commanded him to open his grip and let him inspect the contents. The negro opened the grip, pulled a gun and began to fire. The bullets flew wide but Officer Cross was not so had in his aim and got Barnett one in the left arm.

The negro claimed he did not shoot at the policeman but every fact went to show that he did.

Henry Kahn was fined \$50 and costs in circuit court this morning for nuisance, operating a pool room on North Fourth street. There is one other case against him for conducting a pool room on lower Broadway, but this case was continued. The judgment was suspended pending the action of the court on a new trial.

Wm. Gawlich and Charles Meyers, the two tramps who recently broke into a box car soon after being released from serving a sentence on the chain gang, pleaded guilty and were given two years each.

Alex Hughes, cook on the Clyde who struck a white rouster, A. N. Norman, in the head with a cleaver and swore in police court that he didn't strike Norman at all, was given one year for malicious assault, and will probably be prosecuted for forgery in addition.

Robert Reeves, colored, who sold a stolen pistol as his own property, was given one year.

SUITS FOR SLANDER.

Barney Levitan, through his attorneys Hendricks & Miller, today filed suit in circuit court for \$20,000 damages against Mrs. Mary Baer for slander.

The petition alleges that on two occasions did the plaintiff speak and utter the false and slanderous words, "He is a thief, a dirty thief," meaning Levitan, and that by these utterances he has been damaged in reputation to the extent of \$10,000 in each case, making a total of \$20,000 damages.

FEDERAL COURT MONDAY.

The regular April term of federal court begins Monday morning at the county court house, and the court officers will arrive from Louisville tomorrow some time. The court will have to be held at the court house on account of the work being done at the

THE CITY OFFERS \$1,500 COMPROMISE

Roberts & Co's Attorneys Say They Will Decline the Offer.

Judge Lightfoot Authorized to Tender the Money—Finance Committee Orders License Collected.

CITY TIRED OF TEST SUITS

The finance committee of the general council held a meeting at the city hall last night and decided to offer Roberts & Co., of New York, \$1,500 to dismiss their \$10,000 damage suit against the city.

The members of this committee are: Aldermen Ormo, Krane and Singleton, and Councilmen Riglesberger, Rohkopf and Ingram. Some of them when the suit was discussed were in favor of fighting it to the last ditch, but those in favor of tendering this amount in compromise to get rid of the litigation were in the majority. The action will apparently amount to nothing, however, as Attorney Crice, of Bloomfield and Crice, attorneys for Roberts and Co., stated today that they would respectfully decline any amount under \$2,000, which is the sum they offered some time ago to compromise for.

The result will be that the case will probably go to trial in federal court Monday. Judge R. T. Lightfoot, who is retained by the city in the case, was authorized to tender the money to the plaintiffs in the case.

An important matter acted on by the finance committee last night was that of paying city license. It was ordered that the license inspector at once collect the full license and penalty from those who have not paid, including all those who recently instituted a lawsuit to test the validity of the license ordinance. The penalty is ten per cent on the amount of license, due after February 1 and will make quite an addition to the original.

"We are getting tired of this lawsuit business," vehemently declared one member of the committee today. "Some of our merchants brought suit to test the law, and they have been beaten. They should now pay the license and penalty, and this is what we have ordered collected from them. The city is good for any amount it illegally collects, and as the city has needed the money and it has not been paid, I think, as did others, that the penalty should now be added. It has got so some people don't want to pay anything, and when they are called on, the first thing they want to do is to rush into the courts to 'test' the law, which puts the city to a great deal of trouble and expense and often, as in this case, keeps her out of money she needs and should have." Other than going over the accounts the finance committee transacted no business except the above.

government, building, and Judge Evans will probably get through as soon as possible.

COUNTY COURT.

A mortgage was filed in county court yesterday by the congregation of Temple Israel to Adolph Weil for \$12,500 held in mortgage bonds by the latter, for property at Seventh and Broadway where Temple Israel stands. J. E. Robertson to L. S. DuBois for \$150, property on Fourth between Broadway and Fourth streets.

IN STATU QUO

NOT YET SETTLED WHAT CARPENTER CONTRACTORS WILL DO.

As May 1st draws near, the carpenters and contractors exhibit some anxiety as to the outcome of the demands made by the union carpenters for an increase in wages effective on that date.

It seems that the contractors are unsettled as to what action they will take as a body, and the carpenters state positively they will shut down work on all buildings if the scale is not generally adopted.

FINDS BAD WIRING IN MANY HOUSES

Inspector Rose Says This is Principal Objection.

He Perceives that Citizens are Showing Much More Civic Pride Than Heretofore.

INSPECTION NEARLY OVER

Mr. C. O. Rose, insurance commissioner, has completed his semi-annual inspection of mercantile houses except on Jefferson street, and will next week go over this street and complete his work.

"I find," he stated to a reporter this morning, "that the merchants are attending to the matter of keeping their buildings and yards in good shape better than during the past few years. Things looked cleaner about the premises and the houses are in much better shape. There was less debris and garbage stored about and I am gratified that they have taken such an interest in this matter and are looking out for possible fires and taking every means possible to prevent them."

"The only defect I could find to complain of any and the only really serious one was in the electric wiring. The wires in many houses were left dangling about gas jets and thrown carelessly over nails. In some places they were connected with metallic conductors, rendering it very dangerous. Wherever I found such things I notified the people to have them remedied, and will follow my inspection up with another in a few weeks to see if my orders have been properly carried out."

COFFIN WAS READY

To Receive the Remains of This Murray Woman.

Boards Were From Trees Planted By The Deceased Years Ago.

Mrs. J. H. Sale who died Tuesday in Murray was buried in a walnut coffin made from a tree the deceased planted herself many years ago, and the board which covered the grave were made from a cedar tree she planted many years ago at the foot of her mother's grave.

Mrs. Dale came from Logan county and was a consumptive. She realized her condition and for many years had a metallic coffin stored in the undertaker's shop in Murray, but lately decided she would be buried in a walnut coffin made from a tree she had planted in early youth. The coffin was made and stood ready for many months before she finally passed away.

The cedar boards which covered the grave were hewn from a tree she planted at the foot of her mother's grave after she had driven from Logan county to Calloway. She used a cedar twig to flick the flies off her horse while making the trip, and on arriving at her mother's grave, planted the twig at the foot of the mound. It grew and in after years became one of the largest and prettiest cedars in the surrounding country.

Mrs. Sale was the wife of a well known physician, and was beloved by all who knew her. Her peculiarity was not especially noted in Murray.

MISUNDERSTOOD.

First Spectator (who has been sleeping)—How long has Dr. Heller been preaching?

Second Spectator—About fifteen years.

First Spectator—Gee whiz I didn't think I'd been asleep that long.

RIBBONS

Taffeta, Fancy, Satin, Moire, Plain, Wash All Shades All Prices Rudy, Phillips & Co.

DOCTORS MEETING HERE NEXT MONTH

A Pleasant Session is Promised Association.

Program for the Regular Convention Has Been Completed.

GOOD PAPERS IN PROSPECT

The annual meeting of the South-west Kentucky Medical association to be held in Paducah May 10 and 11 promises to be one of the most enjoyable in the association's history. The program has just been completed by Dr. H. T. Rivers, of Paducah and Dr. Van Stille, of Benton.

The sessions will be held in the city hall, and the first day it is expected to give the visitors an excursion on the Ohio river.

The following is the program:

MORNING, FIRST DAY.
Call to order by President Rivers.
Invocation, by Rev. G. W. Perryman.
Address of welcome.
Report of committees.
Regular order of business.

PAPERS.
Hodgkins Disease, by Dr. E. B. Shelton of Blandville.
Shortness of Cord, as a Cause of Dystocia, by J. T. Reddick.
Continued Fevers, by N. L. Rogers, of Wickliffe.

AFTERNOON, FIRST DAY.
Bronchial Pneumonia in Infancy and Childhood by R. L. Ringo, of Columbus.
Pneumonia, by E. A. Stevens of Mayfield.

Pneumonia and Treatment by R. O. Gore of Lone Oak.
Quinine by E. B. Oord of New Providence.

Pernicious Malarial Fever by G. H. Covington, of Wadesboro.
Abortion as Seen and Treated in the Country, by E. G. Thomas of Harvey.

Puerperal Eclampsia, by W. S. Stone of Benton.

Puerperal Sepsis, by W. J. Bass of city.

The Doctor as a Charitable Man, by B. T. Hale of Benton.

EVENING OF FIRST DAY.

Organization, by W. W. Richmond, of Clinton.

Historical Sketch of the Society, by J. R. Coleman.

That night the president addresses and election of officers take place.

MORNING OF SECOND DAY.
Installation of officers.
Syphilis by Charles Lightfoot of city.

Therapeutic Value for the Fenses Light, by H. P. Sights.

Stercoraria, by B. B. Griffith.

Sarcoma, of the Choroid by W. W. Rozzell of Mayfield.

Acute Puerperal Conjunctions by L. D. Sanders of city.

Acute Otitis Media by Dr. H. M. Childress of city.

The officers of the organization now are: Dr. Horace Rivers of Paducah, president; Dr. E. B. Shelton, vice president; Dr. O. N. Crawford, second vice president; Dr. Van Stille, secretary and Dr. C. H. Brothers, treasurer.

EDITOR ASSAULTED

FORMER METROPOLIS MAN HURT BY RIVAL NEWS-PAPER MEN.

R. B. Thompson, formerly of Metropolis, Ill., but now editor of the La Salle, Ill., Chronicle, was assaulted by John M. Nicholson, of the La Salle Register, with knooks and painfully hurt. It is said the fight resulted from a newspaper controversy in which Nicholson's father, who is a candidate for police magistrate, came in for a roast in Editor Thompson's paper.

BOARD TOOK FINAL ACTION.

Frankfort, Ky., April 16—The state board of equalization has taken final action as to the assessment made in the counties of Ballard, Carlisle, Crittenden and Christian. The raises made in these counties were Ballard, 10 per cent on farm lands and 5 per cent on town lots; Carlisle, nothing; Crittenden, 10 per cent on farm lands and 5 per cent on town lots; Christian, nothing.

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Are you constipated? Troubled with indigestion? Sick headache? Vertigo? Bile? Insomnia? ANY of these symptoms and many others indicate inaction of the LIVER.

You Need Tutt's Pills Take No Substitute.

GOVERNMENT MAN

Inspector Here From Interstate Commerce Commission

He Found the Laws All Complied With By Local Railroads.

Inspector Starboard, of the Interstate commerce commission, is in the city making an inspection of the Illinois Central and N. O. and St. L. roads. He arrived in the city yesterday and will finish his work today or Monday.

The government law which compels railroads to have every convenience on cars and engines for the employees to hold to in making couplings, boarding cars and engines, etc., is complied with, but inspectors are necessary.

Mr. Starboard is one of these inspectors, and his duty is to make a circuit of all roads in his territory and report any failure on the part of the railroads to properly comply with the requirements of the law.

He found nothing here contrary to the law and was pleased with the amount and quality of the work turned out here.

Mr. Starboard has just completed an inspection of the L. and N. road and also the Southern. He is working south and will go to Fulton from here. This is the first inspection by an interstate commerce inspector, in over a year, inspections being made no oftener than annually.

LAX-FOS For the Kidney's, Liver and Stomach.

HAS A "RAT" KITTEN

UNUSUAL MEMBER OF WATCHMAN CASSELL'S OAT FAMILY.

Mr. Dave Cassell, night watchman at the local I. C. railroad freight house, at Sixth and Campbell streets, has a watch dog, and pet cat to stay with him through his night watches and several days ago the cat gave birth to several kittens.

The kittens thrived and grew and nothing peculiar was noticed about them until several nights ago when Mr. Cassell noticed a very peculiar shaped kitten, he supposed it to be, but a close examination proved it to be a young rat which had been nursing the cat. The rat would not leave and the mother cat did not seem to offer any serious objection to her extraordinary charge, and so Mr. Cassell let the rat remain with the litter of kittens. How the rodent got with the kittens is a mystery that remains unexplained.

This is probably the first time any such peculiar circumstances have been noticed, and Mr. Cassell takes great pride in showing his kittens and the mother cat's adopted child to friends. The rat is as tame as the kittens and when nursing is as touchy as the kittens. Mr. Cassell's dog, "I. C." is one of the best known in town among the railroad boys and is a Scotch terrier.

A SISTER CONFESSED.

Louisville, Ky., April 16—W. T. Cundiff, for the murder of his uncle, Tom Bishop, was acquitted by a jury. His sister, Laura Cundiff, who declared on the witness stand that she fired the fatal shot cannot be prosecuted for the crime as the commonwealth's witnesses all testified she was not in the house at the time of the tragedy. The case is an unusual one.

KENTUCKIAN IS HONORED.

Danville, Ky., April 16—A telegram received by his father in this city, announced the election of Henry E. Yeager to the office of mayor of Pike City, Ark. Mr. Yeager is a former Danville boy, and left here about eight years ago.

NEW BOARD FOR RETRENCHMENT

Board of Public Works to Save the City Fifty Per Cent.

Orders Contractor to Tear Up No More Streets Until Material is There.

LAST NIGHTS' MEETING IMPORTANT

The board of public works held an important meeting last night at the city hall, the third session this week. The members are working hard to get things in good shape and it is understood that they went over the street pay rolls, and have formulated a plan by which the city will be saved 50 per cent of the present cost of street work, either by reducing the amount paid out, or in getting more work and material for the amount spent. The board has already stopped the purchase of gravel, so called, and is having the street roller used in rolling the streets after they have been harrowed, leveled, and wet down, thus accomplishing more good without spending a cent for gravel than when new gravel was bought and dumped on the streets without ever being rolled.

The board ordered Contractor E. C. Terrell to proceed with the work on South Third street, which he had already done, however. The sense of the board seems to be that it has control of such public improvements, no matter what Contractor Terrell and his attorneys may think of it. A city official said today that the contractor and his attorneys were not running the city's end of the business and no matter what they contended, the city would hereafter pursue the course it chooses without asking the contractor and his attorneys anything about it and that the board of public works has charge of all public improvements, now, no matter who may have let the contract.

The board last night made another important order, which is that Contractor Terrell cannot tear up any more streets unless he has all the necessary material for doing the work on the ground. This material will include not only the brick, but the sand and gravel as well. It is claimed that on account of the expense of keeping many teams here, and of laying off diggers and having to get new ones after the work is resumed, the contractor may tear up the street to keep his men busy without regard to the inconvenience to the public. Under this order he cannot hereafter tear up any more streets except when he has the material there, and

New Arrivals
White Duck Skirts
Linen Pique Rudy, Phillips & Co.

cannot then do it if he has as many as two blocks incomplete without special permission from the board. The action will govern the remainder of Mr. Terrell's contract, and will prevent his tearing up South Fifth street until he has finished South Third, and will prevent it then unless all the brick, sand and gravel are on the ground ready for use. It is stated that the board is tired of the loose methods heretofore pursued in making public improvements in Paducah and is going to revolutionize them.

About 200 notices were sent out to property owners in front of whose property the pavements and curbing need immediate repairs. They must comply with the order at once, or be subject to a fine.

It was decided to recommend that the city at once proceed to lay the storm water sewerage on Broadway between Fifth and Sixth, which the city intends to pave as soon as possible. On the streets being paved by Contractor Terrell at present, no storm water sewerage has been placed in, and cannot be because the huge piles of bricks left there are where excavations have to be made. The brick will have to be laid or moved before the storm water sewerage is put in, and it is likely to ruin the brick street when the ground begins to settle. This lack of foresight is evident to the board of public works, and City Engineer Washington will draft and present to the boards next week the necessary resolution for putting in the surface sewerage now so the street will be settled when the paving begins.

DEFEND FLIRTATION

ARGUMENT MADE FOR THE WILES OF COQUETRY.

Chicago, April 16.—The scientific status of flirtation was discussed by Dean James H. Tufts of the University of Chicago for the benefit of the seniors in that institute. His general topic was "play."

"Play is an important factor in gaining control of our faculties," said the dean. "Coquetry, like other forms of play is a training of the abilities which one needs in serious life. It is not merely an outlet for the dissipation of surplus energies as it has been considered, but it is instinctive and tends to the development of the higher and intellectual faculties."

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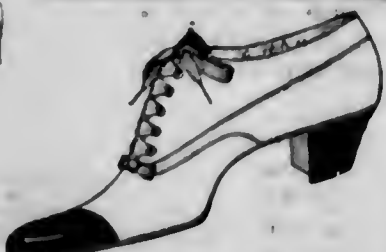


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The Week In Society.

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I.
Roll on, O world! the way you wait
to go—
We can not make the Maytime when
comes the time for snow;
We can not hear the birds sing when
Winter rides the blast,
No matter what the season, the sweet-
est is the last!

II.

Roll on, O world! No matter where
you roll.
We're still a-goin' with you—with
starred or stormy soul;
Love's springtime know the roses,
even though they faded fast;
Hot Love is for all season—the sweet-
est is the last!

WOMEN AND KISSES.

There are three classes of women:
First—Women who want to be
kissed.

Second—Women who do not want
to be kissed.

Third—Women who look as though
they would like to be kissed but won't
let men kiss them.

The first men kiss, the second they
do not kiss, the third they marry—
Life.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stemper en-
tertained friends at cards Thursday eve-
ning in honor of their guest, Miss
Hornbrook, of Evansville, Ind. The
gent's prize was a gold pen and was
won by Mr. T. Lester Baker and the
ladies' prize a rose jar, which was
won by Miss Goldie Stemper, who
promptly gave it to the guest of
honor. A dainty lunch was served
consisting of orange punch, strawber-
ries, sherbet, cakes and salted peanuts.

The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs.
Stemper and Miss Goldie and guest
Miss Hornbrook, Miss Helen Stone,
Miss Rose McGinnis, Miss Mayne
Stanley, Mr. T. Lester Baker, Dr.
Childress, Mr. Taylor Fisher, Dr.
Stemper and Mr. John Hall.

The Industrial club was entertained
at cards yesterday afternoon by Mrs.
Pat Lally at her home at 10th and
Trimbale streets. The club prize was
won by Miss Mary Berger, the visit-
or's prize by Mrs. E. W. Hockmen and
the consolation prize went to Mrs.
Robert Rudolph. The guests were:
Mesdames Jesse Gilbert, Frank Gar-
riner, Jeff Read, G. W. Katterjohn,
Robert Rudolph, W. H. Mastain, E.
W. Hockmen, George Wolfe, Frank
Kirchoff, F. G. Mertz, Henry Kun-
zeller, Misses Louise Rottgering, Mary
Berger, Bertha Mertz and Louise
Kirchoff.

A surprise party was tendered Rev.
and Mrs. J. H. Rapprecht at their
home, 602 Ohio street Wednesday eve-
ning by the choir and some of the young
people of Mr. Rapprecht's church,
the Evangelical Lutheran. Rev. and
Mrs. Rapprecht will leave in May for
Northwestern Missouri to make their
home and the party was testimonial
of their friends of their church to
them. A nice purse was presented to
the minister and his wife by their
guests.

Miss Irene Schwab entertained the
Wednesday Afternoon club this week
at her home on West Broadway. The
first prize was won by Miss Schwab,
the second prize went to Mrs. Adolph
Well and Mrs. Harry Livingston won
the lone hand prize. The guests were:
Mesdames Adolph Well, Harry Liv-
ingston, I. Nankheim, Herman Fried-
man, W. I. Levy, David Levy, Misses
Helen Hecht, Irma Hecht, Maudie
Dreyfuss.

The Red Men gave a banquet at the
hall of the lodge on North Fourth
street last night, as is close to the

membership contest which was in
progress several weeks. The successful
side in the contest, Mr. L. L. Be-
hont's braves, were served by Mr.
H. O. Rhodes' red skins. A number
of out of town guests were in attend-
ance.

The Sans Souci club was enter-
tained Wednesday afternoon by Miss
Margaret Parks at her home on West
Jefferson street. The club prize was
won by Mrs. Hughes McKnight and
the visitor's prize by Mrs. Henry
Hughes.

The Choral Society met Thursday
night at the First Presbyterian church.

TENNIS OPENING.

An event of much social interest
next week will be the formal opening
of the Y. M. C. A. tennis grounds
on Kentucky avenue near Seventh
street, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30
o'clock. Exhibition games will be
played and refreshments will be served
by the women's committee of the asso-
ciation. A general invitation is ex-
tended to the public to visit the pleas-
ure grounds, which are excellently
equipped.

WEDDINGS.

The marriage of Miss Fredericka
Oehlshlager of this city, and Mr.
Robert Irvin Arnold, of Mound City,
is announced to take place Tuesday
morning at 8:30 o'clock at the Ger-
man Evangelical church. Rev. W. H.
Pinkerton of the First Christian
church will perform the ceremony.
The ushers will be: Messrs. Harry
Hank, Charles Horton, William Spano
and Dr. John Oehlshlager.

The couple will leave immediately
after the ceremony for their home in
Mound City.

The bride is the charming daughter
of Mr. Jacob Oehlshlager of 1004
Jackson street, and is a sister of Dr.
John Oehlshlager, one of the city's
best known druggists. The groom is
in the mill business in Mound City,
and formerly resided here where he is
quite popular.

AMONG CLUBS.

The Daphne Club met Tuesday morn-
ing with Mrs. John G. Miller at her
home at Fifth and Clark streets. The
subject for the morning was "Milan."
"Milan in the Middle Ages" was the
subject of a paper by Mrs. Frank Bar-
nard. Mrs. John P. Campbell had a paper
on "Milan's Place in History Since
the Renaissance." "Milan's Greatest
Art Collection" was discussed by Mrs.
Mildred Davis and Mrs. J. C. Flour-
noy gave a paper on "The Churches of
Milan."

The annual children's missionary tea
was held yesterday afternoon by the
missionary society of Grace church at
the residence of Mrs. Elbridge
Palmer, "The Ferns" on West Clark
street. Papers were read by Mrs.
Muscoe Barnett, Mrs. Charles K.
Wheeler, Miss Elizabeth Kirkland and
Miss Elizabeth Boswell. Light re-
freshments were served.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Magazine club will meet Thurs-
day afternoon for the last time this
season with Mrs. J. Campbell Flour-
noy at her home in the Scott flats at
Seventh and Broadway. It will be a
Van Dyke meeting. The magazines
from which reports will be given are
Century, Cosmopolitan, Bookman, In-
dependent, Forum and Self Culture.

The Wednesday Afternoon club will
be entertained next week by Mrs.
Adolph Well at her home at Sixth and
Broadway.

The Industrial club will meet Fri-
day afternoon with Miss Louise Rot-
tinger at her home in Rowlandtown.
A dance will be given at the Palmer
House Wednesday evening by some of
the young society men.

The Dolphin club will meet Tuesday
morning with Mrs. John G. Miller at
Ninth and Clark streets.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

Mrs. F. Hummel, Sr., of Fourth
and Norton streets, is today celebrat-
ing her 78th birthday and there has
been quite a family reunion. Mrs.
Hummel is one of the type of hale,
happy women who seem to grow
younger as they get old, and she has
enjoyed the observance of the anni-
versary as much as anyone. One of the
presents she received was a finely
decorated cake from one of her sons-in-
law, bearing the figures "78," and
with an appropriate motto. Mrs.
Hummel is mother of Messrs. Will P.
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PLAY WELL RECEIVED.

The play "Mistress and Maid," pre-
sented here by High school pupils last
night week, was repeated last night
at four Oak college in the county
and was enthusiastically received.
A large audience witnessed the per-
formance, many attending from this
city. The authors of the play, Misses
Carrie Harn and Estelle Hale, of the
high school, were given a curtain call,
with all of the players.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Kelly have
gone to Pueblo, Col., to reside.

Mrs. J. B. Coleman returned Thurs-
day night from a visit to Murray.

Miss Lena Hornbrook, of Evansville,
Ind., is the guest of Mrs. W. F.
Stemper.

Miss Bruce Warren left Thursday
for a visit to Central and Eastern
Kentucky.

Mrs. M. B. Austin returned this
week from a visit to Hot Springs and
Oklahoma.

Mrs. Louise Baintine of Nashville,
Tenn., is the guest of her brother, Mr.
Charles Speck.

Miss Mary King of Union City,
Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. R. H.
Allen of South 11th street.

Mrs. Hortense Forbes of St. Louis,
is the guest of Mrs. Robt Noble at
her country home, Aunefield.

Miss Georgia Hennis arrived this
week to visit Mrs. Lon Singleton.
Miss Bonnin formerly lived in Padu-
cah and has many friends here.

Mrs. W. H. Hudson and children,
of Pine Bluff, Ark., have returned
home after a visit to Mrs. Hudson's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Byrd.

Miss Mary Dinguid of Murray, is
the guest of Mrs. Robert Sory, on
West Jefferson street. Miss Dinguid
has just returned from a visit to Miss
Hattie Hale in Hopkinsville.

GOES TO WASHINGTON

REV. JOHN W. SYKES LEFT FOR
DAUGHTER'S BEDSIDE
LAST NIGHT.

Rev. John W. Sykes left last night
for Washington, D. C., to be with
his daughter, Miss Mary, news of
whose sudden illness from appendicitis
was received yesterday. A telegram
received late yesterday afternoon
stated that the young lady was not
seriously ill, but Rev. Sykes left
nevertheless. He will go from Wash-
ington to his new home at Fon-Du-
Lac, Wis.

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LABEL TRIALS

CASES AGAINST LOUISVILLE
MAN SET FOR MONDAY AT
SMITHLAND.

Editor Young Allison and Corres-
pondent James Riley, of the Louis-
ville Herald, are expected in the city
tomorrow on their way to Smithland,
Ky., where the charge of criminal
libel comes up against them in circuit
court Monday. It is probable the
cases will come to trial this time.
The suits grew out of last year's po-
litical campaign, when the Herald al-
leged that Supt. McChesney, now
secretary of state, was having his
campaign expenses paid by the state.
Supt. McChesney, in order to get the
case where his friends could settle it,
went all the way to Smithland, and
there had the newspaper men indicted,
instead of doing it at Frankfort.
Hon. John K. Hendrick, of Padu-
cah, will assist in the defense.

Secretary of State H. V. McChes-
ney, of Frankfort, is in the city on
his way to Smithland to attend court.

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RILEY TELLS HISTORY

POEM WRITTEN IN IMITATION
OF POE RECENTLY CREDIT-
ED TO THAT AUTHOR.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 15.—James
Whitcomb Riley has made a statement
in relation to "Leonardo," the poem
which he wrote in his youth in imita-
tion of Poe and which Alfred Russell
Wallace recently published in the
Fortnightly Review, crediting it to
Poe and giving the circumstances of
the find.

"It was a mistake, due to the folly
of my youth, that I ever wrote that
poem," said the poet. "And God
knows I have suffered from it. It is
always coming up at the most inop-
portune time, and I suppose it will do
so until the end of my life; but I must
stand by my error. Of course, I reas-
sert that I wrote it, but as to its
merit, I am not the judge.

"It was about eighteen years ago,"
he said. "A lot of us got to talking
about critics, and I said that they
did not know what they were doing.
I said that some of my poems were
just as good as other poets, but I
could not sell them, because I signed
them simply 'J. W. Riley,' and no
one knew who I was."

Riley then told of writing the poem
and of having it published in a Koko-
mo paper with a story to the effect
that it had been found in an old book.
The poem was widely copied and I
to much discussion, and when proof
was demanded a young man named
Richards was employed to write it in
the style of an old dictionary. He
wrote with a quill pen and with di-
luted ink to make it look old.

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Personally appeared before me this

day E. J. Paxton, general manager of

The Sun, who affirms that the above

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to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1905.

March 31, 1904.

DAILY THOUGHT.

"Those who do not love seldom

feel great enjoyment, but those who

do love are frequently liable to deep

sorrow."—French Proverb.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Sunday. Frost and

freezing temperature tonight. Warm-

er Sunday in Western portion.

A GREAT PRESIDENT.

In these days of strenuous politics,

a public man may be greatly admired

by his own party, and yet be exorated

by others. President Theodore

Roosevelt, however, is a man who

has won the admiration, except of a

few unreasoning, ultra-partisan men

in other parties, of all men irrespec-

tive of party. They see in him a pres-

ident of the whole people, which one

can easily be and at the same time

observe in every respect the principles

of the Republican party.

Alfred Henry Lewis, one of the

most widely known Democratic

writers in the country, in a recent is-

ssue of the Philadelphia Saturday Post,

makes the following observations on

President Roosevelt relative to the at-

titude of the United States when

European powers begin clamoring for

the payment of the money awarded them

by the Hague tribunal against

Venezuela.

"When such coils as those of the

Venezuelan debts occur it is within

my inclination to congratulate main-

king on Mr. Roosevelt's presence in

the White House. There be folk with

a bent toward opposition politics who

that Mr. Roosevelt comes to be the subject of much respectful wonder, not only among the Legation diplomats in Washington but on the parts of our own deep men of state. They are not surprised by his force; they expected that; but they did not anticipate his wide grasp of affairs. Had they paused to consider Mr. Roosevelt in his upcoming tide of their amazement might not have mounted so high. Mr. Roosevelt, now in middle age and with nothing of his energy subtracted by mere years, has had an education in government that was granted to no one else. He went to the Assembly at Albany and was taught the detailed lesson of a State. He was chief of the Civil Service, and thereby given something broader than a glimpse of our national machinery in its smaller wheels and springs. Then he became police commissioner of New York—an education of itself in those reasons, black and white, which in human nature make the fundamentals. He is next given a naval course under Mr. Long. Then he takes a regiment to practical war, and smells the powder and hears the guns and sees the blood of it. He goes back to Albany as Governor and directs the business of a mighty Commonwealth. Later he presides over a National Senate, and is shown how mysterious may be a Congress in its ways. And so to a White House. Could there have been a deeper preparation for a President? Besides, Mr. Roosevelt has traveled up and down the land, and encountered every condition of man. He has gained a hundred-fold knowledge of the American people, and there abides no part of the country that is hearsay with him. Moreover, the pores of his apprehension were open; Mr. Roosevelt had been a man who could learn. What the Washington mind finds impressive in him—that is, his comprehension of a situation, and his quick ability to devise support if it be good, or propose a remedy if it be bad—are only the natural fruits of that very liberal education in public concerns which has been his. There have been Presidents who were called diamonds in the rough. Mr. Roosevelt has been ground upon the emery wheels of a score of experiences until, regular of shape and accurate of angle, he owns a facet for every possible contingency."

A WORD TO REPUBLICANS.

The Sun would again call the Republicans' attention to the necessity of their taking no interest in the present conventions to be held next Thursday at 3:30. It is very essential—it is every good Republican's duty to attend these conventions and see that none but representative men control them; that none but representative men be given the positions in the party. Politics nowadays is left to the "free" elements too much and that is the simple reason why city, county and state governments are so corrupt. If the business men, the men whose interests are jeopardized as we see them every day, by leaving politics to such elements, will but take the interest in it that they should, we would not have the conditions we find all around us.

It therefore behooves the Republicans of Paducah to attend these conventions and see that none but the best men are put in the offices and in control of the party's affairs. The way to build up a party is to give it respectability. Given that it commands a following of the best people. The growth of the Republican party in Paducah has been sure, satisfactory and healthy. We must continue it so. The Republicans have carried the city at nearly every election on state and national issues for over eight years. Let's do it this time.

It would have carried the local elec-

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tion last fall if the nominations had only been made right. Do it right this time.

OUR NAVAL OFFICERS.

Quick to grasp at even a straw, the Democratic press is beginning to demand an inquiry into the causes of the disaster to one of our battleships, and insinuates that the commanding officer may be to blame—because, apparently, he is related by marriage to President Roosevelt! Such transparent innuendoes are an insult to our navy and its brave men. We have scores of war vessels, each one in service almost constantly. Every year there are maneuvers, target practice and other things designed to increase the proficiency of our men, and yet out of the thousands and thousands of chances, how many accidents are there? And how could the commander of a vessel, in another part of the ship he to blame for an accident such as that on the Missouri? If a man be not cautious, discreet, efficient and thoroughly capable, how can he for years direct his vessel without a mishap?

Those who are so prone to raise a hue and cry over such deplorable occurrences as the Missouri disaster should sometimes think of the thousands of accidents that never happen to our vessels, instead of the few unavoidable mishaps that do.

MISSOURI DEMOCRATIC SPLIT.

Republican prospects are brighter in Missouri this year than ever before. It is claimed that Attorney Folk, who is running on his record for exposing Democratic boodling, now stands a good chance to get the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. If he does it will mean not the destruction alone of the powerful and corrupt Democratic machine which has long ruled the state, but of the Democratic party in the state as well.

If Folk is nominated, the machine will help beat him, for the election of Folk would mean the everlasting annihilation of the machine.

If Hawes, the machine candidate, is nominated, it will result in many of the Folk men, if not most of them, voting the Republican ticket or remaining at home because they are tired of the corrupt and costly domination of the Democratic machine and their principal aim is to defeat it. Either way the outlook is propitious for the Republicans, who are making a strong fight to rescue the state from the taint of Democratic ring rule.

It is stated on the authority of a member of the Board of Public Works that the expenses heretofore of "repairing" the streets will be cut down fifty per cent. by the board. If this is true, there must have existed a pretty bad system of working the streets—or was it working the taxpayers? If the city can save this fifty per cent. now it could have done it last year, the year before, and a good many years back. Why wasn't it saved? The Board of Public Works, it is hoped, will make a detailed report showing the people where the money has gone, and who has been the beneficiary of this perpetual prodigality. When this is done, the extravagance may better be accounted for. There ought to be some way to let the public in on these matters.

Senator Dietrich of Nebraska, has been acquitted unanimously of the charges brought against him. First the courts exonerated, and now the senate committee, two of whom were Democrats, unanimously acquits him. About the only thing charged against him was that he leased the government building for a postoffice and it developed this was done several years ago while he was governor of the state, and the lease was for ten years. It now looks as if it is about time to call the energetic, if not efficient, district attorney instrumental in securing the indictment, to time.

The Owensboro Inquirer says: "Harry Hawes, of St. Louis, is the man the machine hopes to nominate. He is president of the board of police commissioners and is a beneficiary of all the corruption in St. Louis primaries. His name is that of one of the best Kentucky families and he is distantly connected with it, but he is not followed in his campaign by his Ken-

ucky kin."

Probably Mr. Hawes' Kentucky kin have enough to do, to look out for their own campaigns.

The civilized world, irrespective of sentiment in the Russian-Japanese war, will have at least a modicum of sympathy for the nation that has lost 700 brave men who went to their doom without warning. The people of our own country "Remember the Maine."

With the Chinese colony serving hot rodents, the Igorrotes enjoying roast dog and the Patagonian giants demanding a diet of horse meat, St. Louis ought to manage to get rid of a good many disagreeable inhabitants this summer.

If Cleveland is as bad as Bourke Cochran paints him, if Parker is as untrustworthy as Bryan claims, and Hearst is as undesirable as the reorganizers content, pray what are the Democrats going to do, nominate Joe A. Parker?

If the Japs torpedoed the Petropavlovsk why didn't they torpedo the other Russian vessels too? The dusky scrappers are no doubt good fighters but they appear to also be good liars.

Drugs have gone up 20 per cent in St. Louis. If now costs more to live, get sick, or die in the future Great than ever before. A pleasant prospect for world's fair visitors!

DAMAGE FEARED

Last Night the Temperature Went to 34 in Paducah.

Cloudiness Prevented Frost—A Set Back, at Least, Anticipated.

The predicted cooler weather came last night and came with a vengeance. Those who were bedecked in their spring and summer garments yesterday, were out today in furs and overcoats. The weather fully justified it, too. The lowest temperature last night was 34, two degrees above freezing point, and all that prevented a heavy frost was the cloudiness and wind. There can be frost at 38, and it is likely that the temperature in the country was some cooler, at least, than in town, where Observer Hornemann's record shows the 34 degrees.

While nothing definite is known, Mr. Hornemann fears that the cold weather will damage the crops and fruits. It is extremely likely, too, at any rate, and whether it damages anything to the extent of killing it or not, it will at least keep everything back.

Paducah is not the only city which has suffered, as there has been snow in many places in Kentucky during the last few days.

Some of the older inhabitants say that 34 years ago today there were four inches of snow in Paducah. One man on market stated that he remembered it because it was the day he married.

The weather predictions for tonight are for colder and freezing weather, but are for warmer weather tomorrow in Western Kentucky.

LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

On account of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Los Angeles, Cal., commencing May 3, 1904, and the National Association of Retail Grocers of the United States at San Francisco commencing May 3, 1904, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. will sell tickets to either San Francisco or Los Angeles, from April 22 to May 1, inclusive for \$19.45 for the round trip from Paducah, limited to return until June 30, 1904.

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The first stage of catarrh is what is commonly known as "catching cold." It may be in the head, nose, throat or lungs. Its beginning is sometimes so severe as to cause a chill and considerable fever, or it may be so slight as to not hinder a person from his usual business. In perhaps a majority of cases little or no attention is paid to the first stage of catarrh, and hence it is that nearly one-half of the people have chronic catarrh in some form.

To neglect a cold is to invite chronic catarrh. As soon as any one discovers the first symptoms of catching cold he should at once begin the use of Pe-ru-na.

according to direction on the bottle, and the cold is sure to pass away without leaving any bad effects. Unless this is done the cold is almost sure to end in the second stage of catarrh, which is making so many lives miserable. If Pe-ru-na was taken every time one has a cold or cough, chronic catarrh would be practically an unknown disease.

Miss Elizabeth Uber, No. 67 Bassett street, Albany, N. Y., writes: "I have always dreaded unsettled weather because of my extreme liability to catch cold, when a catarrhal trouble would quickly develop through my entire system, which it would take weeks to drive away. I am thankful to say that since I have taken PE-ru-na I do not have any reason to dread this anymore, for I have been at all exposed to the damp, wet or cold weather, I take a dose or two of PE-ru-na, and it throws out any hint of sickness from my system."—Miss Elizabeth Uber.

Mrs. M. J. Brink, No. 823 Michigan avenue, St. Joseph, Mich., writes: "This past winter during the wet and cold weather I caught a sudden and severe cold, which developed a catarrhal condition through my entire system, and so affected my general health that I was completely broken down, and became nervous and hysterical and unable to supervise my home. My physician prescribed for me, but somehow his medicine did me no good. Reading of PE-ru-na I decided to try it. After I had taken but three bottles I found myself in fine health."—Mrs. M. J. Brink.



MISS SARA MCGAHAN. help me and cough remedies nauseated me. Reading an advertisement of what PE-ru-na could do, I decided to try a bottle, and you can imagine how glad I felt when it began to relieve me in a very short time. In less than two weeks I was completely cured."—Sybil A. Hadley.

Miss Sara McGahan, No. 1734 street, Albany, N. Y., writes: "A few months ago I suffered with a severe attack of influenza, which nothing seemed to relieve. My hearing became bad, my eyes became irritated and feverish. Nothing seemed right and nothing I ate tasted good. I took PE-ru-na and within two weeks I was perfectly well."—Sara McGahan.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Pe-ru-na write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be glad to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitation, Columbus, O.

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—The Scott Hardware Co. has everything the housekeeper wants and at prices that suit the purse.
—Tableaux and models by Grace church Guild at the K. of P. Hall Tuesday night. 25c admission.
—Over 3,200 families read The Sun every day so speak out your wants through The Sun's want columns.
—See the handsome prize in Wolff's window to be given Tuesday night at the K. of P. hall. 25c admission.
—Officer Ed. Clark expects to resign as a police officer next Wednesday and begin his duties as license inspector.
—We will continue our sale of plants with another cut in prices. JOSEPH MATTHEW, 1210 South Sixth street.
—SPEHNETTA AND KORTOFFEL SALAT FOR LUNCH AT THE MECCA TONIGHT.
—Louis Reineking and Miss Louise Heumers, prominent young people of Massac county, Ill., were married near Metropolis.
—SMOTHERED SQUAB WITH TOAST FOR LUNCH AT S. H. GOTT'S TONIGHT.
—Gravel for concrete purposes for sale in any quantity delivered in the city by W. M. Pryor, Benton road. People's telephone 4194.
—CHICKEN AND DUMPLINGS FOR LUNCH AT 100 BROADWAY TONIGHT. JAS. McNULTY, PROP.
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—Sixteen Sign Works makes a specialty of carriage painting, the work being done by first class workmen only. Both phones, 491, Sixteenth and Madison.
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—Sunday school exercises will be held at the German Evangelical church at the usual hour, 9:30. It is urged that all teachers and members be present.
—Mr. Hen Welilo has received the new automobile in which he expects

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Other house cleaning aids such as moth balls, bug poison, furniture polish, household paints and varnishes, disinfectants, etc.

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Social Notes and About People.

Mr. Gus Covington, of Mayfield, is in the city.
Mr. J. R. Lowe, of Lowes, Ky., is at the Palmer.
Mrs. Joseph and Edgar Hughes left yesterday for a visit in Kaufman, Texas.
Mrs. Sam Bondies returned from Wingo this morning after a visit to friends and relatives.
Railroad Commissioner McD. Ferguson is at the Palmer today. It is his first visit to Paducah in some little time.
Mrs. Elizabeth Cecil and two daughters, Misses Myra and Maggie, and son, Lloyd, have returned from Los Angeles, Cal., where they went in search of health two years ago.

TEMPORARY PASTOR.

REV. FRANCIS R. BEATTY TO FILL REV. W. E. CAYE'S PULPIT DURING HIS ILLNESS.

Rev. W. E. Caye, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, who is under treatment in a sanitarium at Lexington, Ky., is improving but it will be some weeks before he can again assume charge of his church here. During this time Rev. R. Beatty, D. D., one of the faculty of the Louisville Theological seminary, will fill his place.

HARDY MEN

THE KIND OF FOOD THEY USE.

"I am a bunkman on the Rocky Mountain division of the N. P. R. R., which extends for two hundred and fifty-six miles over the mountains along treacherous canyons and deep gorges, where the work is always hard, arduous and dangerous and where one is constantly exposed to cold, rains and snow storms. At times we will be having for trains in some blind siding waiting for hours that do not come, yet we cannot move out but must wait until some other train from the same direction brings us orders to move ahead.

"We frequently must prepare our own food in the caboose or way car, for which most trainmen are prepared by carrying pans, kettles, coffee pot, etc., along in caboose at all times.

"With the crew to which I belong bacon, fried eggs and potatoes fried in the bacon grease with strong black coffee to wash it down formed our food and our meals were usually eaten in a hurry.

"One day last winter while waiting on a lonely side track along the Clark River for No. 2, my mate and I commenced to prepare a meal of the usual kind, when our conductor came in the caboose, took a sniff of the bacon laden atmosphere, and said: 'Boys I can't stand that grease any longer, my stomach feels like it was shot to pieces and my head rolls like a switch engine going up a grade. Let's try something new. I have heard so much of Grape Nuts; let's kick that grease down to the Chinese section hands, and next time we are in buy us a gallon milk can, fill her up at each end of our run, put it in the cooler and when we get hungry have some Grape Nuts and milk.'

"Well, to make my story short, we got the can, the milk and the Grape Nuts. That was four months ago, and we still have them and use them every day.

"Almost from the first I noticed a change in my own health and heard the others say the same of theirs. My headaches vanished, the weary depressed feeling in my stomach left me, I feel more cheerful and brighter, can stand more cold and exposure, get over my train with more ease, and do my work better than ever before.

"I give the credit where I honestly know it belongs; to cutting out the grease and strong coffee and using Grape Nuts.

"Other crews now call us the 'Grape Nuts Crew' and the yardmaster has even written in chalk on our caboose 'Grape Nuts.' Instead of the conductor's name, but we don't care for that. Others are following our example and I guarantee there are few cabooses on our division going out now from the terminals without their Grape Nuts and milk." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

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"Something for a present, not too expensive? Yes, madam. These photographs are very popular."

"But are they good?"

"I've sold a great many and had no complaints. I need hardly say more, madam. They speak for themselves."

Against the Regulations.



"Say, mister, you ain't allowed to run them machines up trees around here."

The Bold Bandit.



"Hello, Freddie! Are you playin' robber?"

"Playin' robber? This is the real thing. I'm waitin' for cook, an' when she comes she'll tell where she hides the pies or I'll know the reason why."

—New York Evening Journal.

Andible.



"Is Miss Oddy out of the matrimonial market yet?"

"No. But she's on the remnant counter."

"Carry Your Trunk, Sir!"

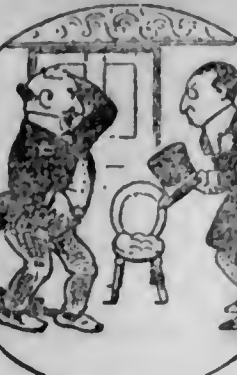


Easy.



Teacher—Johnny, when were the dark ages?
Johnny—Oh, in the knight time, I s'pose!

Misunderstood Him.



Young Man—Will you give assent to my marriage with your daughter, sir?
Old Man (firmly)—No, sir; not a cent!

A Wall.



"Good gracious, we won't have a stick of furniture left if these two fellows from town keep on fishing around here much longer." —New York Times.

All the Better For Her.



Fred—I told Kitzie Kieker that the governor was awfully mad because I had no bow-ties.

Algie—And what did she say, dear boy?

Fred—She said she'd be awfully mad if I had.

There's Many a Slip.



"Oh, professor, I saw such a curious old fossil in the museum today. I thought of you at once!"

Well Advised.



"Say, judge, I have just discovered a way of tying without using my wings and have come to ask you for advice."

"Stop smoking cigarettes. You're dopey!" —Philadelphia Ledger.

Not a Bit of It.



"She is a girl of uncertain age, I believe."

"No. She's been the same for the last ten years."

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Third street—Rev. W. B. Hamilton, pastor. Regular services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. every Sunday. Epworth League 6:45 p.m., A. J. Hamberg, president. Sunday school at 10 a.m., B. E. Sears, Supt. Ladies' meeting on Monday at 2:30 p.m., Mrs. A. H. Baker, president. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Trimble street church—Rev. W. W. Armstrong, pastor. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Epworth League Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m.

First Presbyterian church—Rev. W. E. Cave, D. D., pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m., L. M. Hieko, superintendent. Preaching at 10:45 a.m.

Mizpah Mission Sunday school at 2:30 p.m., W. J. Hille, Supt. Preaching service at 7:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN.

First Christian church, southeast corner of Seventh and Jefferson streets. Rev. W. H. Pinkerton pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m., W. G. Dodd, Supt. Preaching at 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Y.P.S.O.E. at 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Tenth street Christian church—Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Church services at 10:45 a.m.

BAPTIST.

First Baptist church on the corner of Fifth and Jefferson streets. Pastor G. W. Perryman D.D. Residence 125 N. Fifth street. Phone 1314. Preaching Sunday at 11 and 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. Sunday school home church 9:30 P.M. A.M. House Supt. Station A North 12th street 3 p.m. R.E. Roper Supt.

Little's Chapel—Rev. T. J. Owen pastor. Preaching Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. Sunday school Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m.

Methodist Episcopal church, Mechanicsburg—Sunday school at 9:15 a.m. Epworth League services at 6:45 p.m. Preaching at 7:30 p.m. promptly. Robert A. Cummins, P. O.

Union Rescue Mission, 421 South Third street—Gospel services every night at 7:30. R. W. Chiles, pastor.

Services at 10:30 and 7:30 Sunday at Mechanicsburg Methodist church.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First Cumberland Presbyterian church, corner Sixth and Kentucky avenue—Rev. George O. Bachman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. S. B. Hanna, Supt. Preaching service at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p.m. W. D. Watson, Supt. Young People's Society at 6:30 p.m. Prayer and teachers' meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Second Baptist church corner of Ninth and Ohio streets. Rev. W. H. Robinson, pastor. Residence 632 Hubbard street. Phone No. 533 now. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. N. H. Vaughan Supt. Residence 324 Tennessee street.

EVANGELICAL.

German Evangelical church—Rev. H. F. Wulfman pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. German services at 10:30 a.m. English services at 7:30 p.m.

Lutheran church—Evangelical Lutheran church, South Fourth street, J. H. Rupperecht, Pastor. Sunday school 9 a.m. German preaching 10:15 a.m. English preaching 7:30 p.m.

Young Men's Christian Association—The reading room of the Young Men's Christian Association is open Sunday afternoon to all men. At 3:30 o'clock men's gospel meeting; at 5:15 the Young Men's Social Bible club meets with luncheon and study under the leadership of W. B. Smith. All men are most cordially invited to use these privileges. Boys' Bible class at 2 o'clock. Boys' reading room open all Sunday afternoon to all boys of the city.

IN THE CONTESTS.

Most popular federal, county or city employee.	
Hattie Clark	418,654
Frank Moore	233,168
Henry Bailey	42,275
Will Lydon	21,160
Fred Ashton	2,262
Allard Williams	1,355
Frank Harlan	460
Ed Clark	340
Chas. Grim	289
John Anstis	125
Chas. Holliday	15

Most popular member of local union.	
C. O. Hayman	318,187
Ed Engler	217,528
W. W. Estes	4,831
Harry Pixler	1,241
John C. Reavis	68
Jno Saunders	25
Will Gregorv.	10

Resident of the county.	
Henry Temple	348,695
Henry Honser	298,140
C. K. Lamond	96,941
Richard Bell	40,655
J. W. Harris	8,948
C. M. Thornhill	240
Ed Willis	226
J. P. McQueen	136
Theo Hovecamp	22

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As the most popular clerk.	
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As the most popular resident of the county.	
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As the most popular school teacher.	
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Retail or wholesale clerk.	
Harry Hinkle	330,578
Miss Ruth Cremons	259,893
Mr. Fred Smith	26,607
Mrs. Ollie Elliott	17,135
Hannah Potter	4,820
Miss Maggie Williams	207
Miss Mamie Haynam	75
Miss Augusta List	68

School teacher.	
Miss Jessie Byrd	295,988
Miss Jessie Rooks	257,440
William Lawrence	160,742
Miss Lizzie Singleton	10,239
Miss Mabel Roberts	568
Miss Ellen Willis	329
Miss Ada Brazelton	109
Prof. A. M. Rouse	111
Miss Elta Ware	200
W. B. Mason	265
Prof. J. T. Ross	27
See Atchison	16
Laura Thomas	10

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Theatrical Notes.

Paul Gilmore in "The Mummy and the Humming Bird" is the only attraction at Kentucky next week. He comes Saturday matinee and night.

Sam Hootenpyle, whose stage name is "Hoot," is designated in his Western engagements as "The Assassinator of Sorrow," and all who know Sam will agree that such is the case. Sam was formerly of Princeton, Ky., and for a time lived in Paducah. He was a bugler in the third regiment during the encampment here, and liked the place so well he remained. Later he left with the Bookskin Bill show, and has since become quite a well known comedian. A Colorado Springs paper says of his appearance at the Empire theater there:

"Sam Hoot, the modern minstrel king, in black face eccentricities, is one of the few really funny black face artists on the stage. Mr. Hoot has held down the opposite end to Lev Dockstader for several seasons in the latter's road minstrel show and has suffered none by comparison with the big star, which should be a sufficient guarantee of his work. He sings his own songs, and is a song writer of considerable note."

Mr. English offers Paul Gilmore in a new play, "The Mummy and the Humming Bird" next Saturday afternoon and evening. Of the play the Omaha Bee says:

"The treatment of this mindlessly clever work by Mr. Paul Gilmore and his company deserves nothing but praise. The play was given with a sustained carefulness and not a few brilliant touches that delighted an exceedingly appreciative audience last night. There were certain calls after every act. Mr. Gilmore in the role of the intellectual, but eventually resourceful and magnanimous Lord Lumley, is well suited. It calls for comedy touches as well as a heroic strain, both governed by repression and the indelible tone of good breeding, and the star easily measures to these requirements."

As a warning to husbands who fall in comradeship "The Mummy and the Humming Bird" serves a purpose; as a study in a noble idea of what such a husband may do, possibly, once his wife has been almost entrapped and lured from his home it gratifies the aesthetic; as an entertaining development of "what will happen next" it succeeds. These conditions Mr. Gilmore and his company meet in a commendable and artistic manner.

SUMMER STOCK AT THE KENTUCKY.

Manager English has arranged with Mr. Whit Branton, who for the past five years has been the manager of Miss Ethel Tucker and her stock company, to bring this talented and popular little lady to his theater for a four weeks' engagement beginning May 2. Mr. Branton, who was seen here twice the past season with the Van Dyke and Eaton forces, will be here and give his personal attention to the business end of the engagement as well as appearing in leading juvenile and character roles.

The company will number 12 people, among which will be six specialty artists and the company will produce up to date dramas and comedies with bright and novel specialties between acts. Owing to the length of the engagement the prices will be 10 and 20 cents. The entire lower floor and balcony will be reserved at 20 cents, the gallery will be sold at ten cents straight. All matinees will be ten cents to all.

In view of the excellent list of plays and the vast number of pleasing specialties the price is phenomenal. The idea is to interest and please the greatest number of Paducah's theatergoers that can be gathered within the walls of her pretty theater. The engagement is for four weeks and begins Monday night May 2.

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Mrs. John Moore, of Ballard county, is in the city.

The Gentleman From Indiana

By BOOTH TARKINGTON

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Invigoration, that set the blood tingling. The hot months were done with; languor was roused. Autumn spoke to industry, told of the sowing of another harvest, of the tawny shock, of the purple grape, of the red apple, and called upon muscle and laughter, breathing gaiety into men's hearts. The little stations hummed with bustle and noise, big farm wagons rattled off up the village streets and raced with "cent under" or omnibuses; people walked with quick steps; the baggage-masters called cheerily to the trainmen, and the brakemen laughed goodly to rollicking girls. At times the train ran between shadowy groves, and delicate landscape vistas, framed in branches, opened, closed and succeeded each other, and then the travelers were carried beyond into the level open again and beyond into the where the intensely blue September skies ran down to the low horizon, meeting the boundless aisles of corn. It takes a long time for the full beauty of the flat lands to reach a man's soul. Once there, nor hills, nor sea, nor growing fan leaves of palm shall suffice him. It is like the beauty in the world Indiana. It may be that there are people who do not consider Indiana a beautiful word, but let it ring true in your ears, and it has a richer sound than Vallombrosa.

All at once the anger ran out of John Harkless. He was a hard man for anger to tarry with. And in place of it a strong sense of home coming began to take possession of him. He was going home. "Back to Paducah, where I belong," he said to himself without bitterness, and it was the truth. "Every man cometh to his own place in the end."

Yes, as one leaves a gay acquaintance of the playhouse lobby for some hard handed, tried old friend, so he would wave the outer world goodbye and come back to the old ways of Carlow. What though the years were dusty, he had his friends and his memories and his old black briar pipe. He had a girl's picture that he should carry in his heart till his last day, and if his life was sadder it was infinitely richer for it. His winter fireside would be not so lonely for her sake, and, losing her, he lost not everything, for he had had the rare blessing of having known her. And what man could wish to be healed of such a hurt? Far better to have had it than to trot a smug piece unsentimental. He had been a dillard, a singard, weary of himself, milt to fight, a failure in life and a failure in love. That was ended. He was tired of failing, and it was time to succeed for awhile. To accept the worst that fate can deal and to wring courage from it instead of despair—that is success, and it was the success that he would have. He would take fate by the neck. But had it done him kindness? He looked out over the beautiful, "monotonous" landscape, and he answered heartily, "No." There was ignorance in man, but no unkindness. Were man utterly wise he were utterly kind. The Cross-roads had not known better, that was all.

The unfolding aisles of corn swam pleasantly before his eyes. The earth hearkened to man's wants and answered. The element sun and summer rains hastened the fruition. Younder stood the brown haystack, garnered to feed the industrious horse that had earned his feed. There was the straw thatched shelter for the cattle. How the orchard boughs bent with their burdens! The big red barn stood stored with the harvest, for this was Carlow county, and he was coming home.

They crossed a byroad. An old man with a streaky gray chin beard was sitting on a sack of oats in a seatless wagon waiting for the train to pass. Harkless seized his companion excitedly by the elbow. "Tommy," he cried, "it's Kim Pentrist! Look! Did you see that old fellow?"

"I saw a particularly uninterested and uninteresting gentleman sitting on a bag," replied his friend. "Why, that's old Kimball Pentrist. He's going to town. He lives on the edge of the county."

"Can this be true?" said Meredith gravely. "I wonder," said Harkless thoughtfully a few moments later—"I wonder why he had them changed around."

"Who changed around?" "The team. He always used to drive the bay on the near side and the sorrel on the off."

"And at present," rejoined Meredith, "I am to understand that he is driving the sorrel on the near side and the bay on the off?"

"That's it," returned the other. "He must have worked them like that for some time, because they didn't look uneasy. They're all right about the train, those two. I've seen them stand with their heads almost against a fast freight. See there." He pointed to a white frame farmhouse with green blinds. "That's Wm. Hubbard's. We're just outside of Weaver."

"Beaver? Rhednate Beaver, boy." "Beaver? Meredith, your information ends at home. What do you know of your own state if you are ignorant of Beaver? Beaver is that city of Carlow county next in importance and population to Paducah."

Tom put his head out of the window. "I fancy you are right," he said. "I

already see five people there."

Meredith had observed the change in his companion's mood. He had watched him closely all day, looking for a return of his malady, but he came to the conclusion that in truth a miracle had been wrought, for the lethargy was gone and vigor seemed to increase in Harkless with every turn of the wheels that brought them nearer Paducah, and the nearer they drew to Paducah, the higher the spirits of both the young men rose. Meredith knew what was happening there, and he began to be a little excited. As he had said, there were five people visible at Beaver, and he numbered where they lived, as the only building in sight was the station, and to satisfy his curiosity he walked out to the vestibule. The little station stood in the woods, and brown leaves whirled along the platform. One of the five people was an old lady, and she entered a rear car. The other four were men. One of them handed the conductor a telegram. Meredith heard the official say: "All right. Decorate ahead. I'll hold it five minutes."

The man sprang up the steps of the smoker and looked in. He turned to Meredith. "Do you know if that gentleman in the gray coat is Mr. Harkless? He's got his back this way, and I don't want to go inside. The air in a smoker always gives me a spell."

"Yes, that's Mr. Harkless." "The man jumped to the platform. "All right, boys," he said. "Rip her out!" The doors of the freight room were thrown open, and a big bundle of colored stuffs was dragged out and hastily unfolded. One of the men ran to the further end of the car with a strip of red, white and blue hunting and tacked it securely, while another fastened the other extremity to the railing of the steps by Meredith. The two companions of this pair performed the same operation with another strip on the other side of the car. They man similar lines of hunting near the roof end to end, so that except for the windows the sides of the car were completely covered by the national colors. Then they draped the vestibules with flags. It was all done in a trice. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

FORT CAPTURED

BRITISH WIN ADDITIONAL VICTORIES IN THIBET.

London, April 16.—The Times prints the following:

"Gyangtze, April 12, by dispatch rider to Cheln, April 14.—The Tibetan commander and the Chinese general surrendered Gyangtze fort this morning without resistance, the Chinese general stating that the soldiers having fled, no other course was open to him."

"Apparently 500 Tibetans escaped with their rifles and portable property after the arrival of the British forces. In the course of an interview yesterday the Tibetan commander implored Gen. MacDonald not to occupy the fort, alleging that heavy punishment would be inflicted on him in that event by the Lhasa authorities. The political position is unchanged. There is a rumor that four officials are coming from Lhasa, but another rumor, possibly more trustworthy, suggests that Lhasa is determined to persevere in its foolish obstinacy."

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"Well, she rejoined as she looked at her watch, "think quick."—St. Louis Star.

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NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 33.0 on the gauge, a fall of 2.2 in the last 24 hours. Weather cloudy with falling temperature. Temperature 38 with north winds.

SAUNDERS A. FOWLER, Local Observer.

The Pavonia went into Tennessee river today.

The Butterfield will arrive tomorrow from Nashville.

The Summers went into Tennessee river today after ties.

The Margaret went into Tennessee river today after ties.

The Royal arrived and departed today on time for Galesburg.

The Hook will come in from Tennessee river today or tomorrow.

The Victor is due in from Cumberland river with ties in a few days.

The Dick Fowler left on time this morning for Cairo with a good trip.

The Wilford is repairing machinery here and will not go out for several days.

The Peters Lee is due down from Cincinnati to Memphis tomorrow or Monday morning early.

The Ten Brock has finished repairing and will go out this afternoon late into Tennessee river.

The Hopkins lost one day on account of an accident and will not be here today, consequently there will be no Evansville packet today. The Joe Fowler will arrive tomorrow and leave Monday morning for Evansville and the Hopkins will leave Evansville on Monday for Paducah.

BEGINS MONDAY

LICENSE AND PENALTY MUST BE PAID, OR FINES WILL BE ASSESSED.

Police Judge D. L. Sanders announced in court this morning that he would Monday morning take up the license tax cases and try them, now that the council has settled the matter.

A communication from the joint finance committee was read in court this morning by Judge Sanders who later made the above announcement in open court. The communication read that at a meeting held last night the committee unanimously decided to collect all license tax, with the 10 per cent penalty, and so instructed Mayor Yeiser who was in turn to notify the license inspector and other officials interested.

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The Murder of Czar Paul.

The nearest approach in modern times to the recent Serbian tragedy was the murder of the Emperor Paul of Russia, who was done to death by his nobles March 24, 1901. He had gone to bed in his accustomed manner, wearing his uniform, as well as booted and spurred. He was awakened in the night by hearing the struggle between the serfs and the nobles, who, after dispatching the soldier, burst into the emperor's room. Paul begged for his life but all in vain. He then tried to escape by the window, cutting himself badly in the attempt. He was dragged back and for a time kept his nine assailants at bay by striking out with a chair. Then, after a terrible struggle, they seized him and strangled him with his own sash.

The Charleston is due from Tennessee river.

FEATURES OF SUNDAY SERVICES

Rev. Francis R. Beatty, of the Louisville Theological Seminary, will preach Sunday morning and afternoon at the First Presbyterian church.

First Cumberland Presbyterian church. Rev. Geo. C. Bachman will preach on Sunday morning on "The Kingdom and the Church" being the third sermon in the series on the church. W. T. Hundick will deliver a lecture on "Gospel Temperance" at night. Prof. E. A. Potter will have charge of the music, and special music will be rendered by the choir.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church will meet at Mrs. John G. Miller's, corner Ninth and Clark streets, on Monday at 3 p. m.

CONTRACT LET

ACREE & NIEMANN ARE LOWEST BIDDERS ON FIRE STATION.

Bids for constructing the new fire station at 10th and Jones streets were opened by the joint fire committee at the city hall this morning and Acree and Niemann had the lowest, \$3642. There were seven bids, the highest being \$4360. The contract was let to Acree & Niemann, subject to the approval of the general council. It is supposed that it will be ratified and work on the station begin at once.

Work on the other station, at 10th and Clay, is being done by the city, under the supervision of Chief Wood. The station will soon be ready for use, but it will probably be several weeks before the equipment arrives.

SUIT FILED.

Dr. D. G. Murrell has filed suit against J. H. Sullivan for \$177 alleged to be due for livery stable rent. The plaintiff owns property on Jefferson street occupied by the defendant.

Climite Bad for Sheep.

The fleece of sheep imported from Europe into the West Indies is much affected and after the third generation the wool disappears from the whole body, except over the loins, and the animal then appears like a goat with a dirty doormat on its back.

New York Theatres.

Thirteen new theatres, to cost \$3,000,000 are being built in New York city.

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